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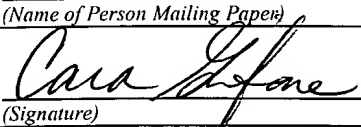
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 19, 2004, reconsideration in view of the amendment and following remarks is respectfully requested.

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I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail on this date, January 19, 2005 , in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	
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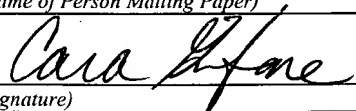
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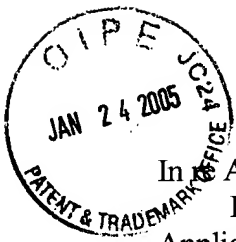
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application please find:

1. Amendment in Response to Office Action mailed October 19, 2004 (8 pgs.);
2. Return Receipt Postcard.

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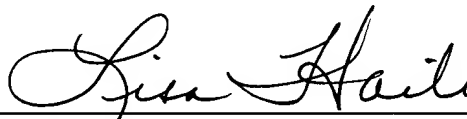
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No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Response. However, if any fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee, or credit any overpayment, to The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 07-1896.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: January 19, 2005



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